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1. The German-Polish border in the neighborhood of Swinemuende has been corrected so that the line now runs six kilometers inland from the beach\*, embracing the children's home at Ahlbeck (N54/L21) within Polish territory. The border formerly passed through the midst of the caserne area, with the asphalt road of the caserne as the line of demarcation. The Ahlbeck waterworks\*\* is now apparently also on the Polish side of the line.
2. In the area which has been acquired by Poland the German Wehrmacht in the last years of World War II constructed underground storerooms, bunkers, and other fortified works. Of the underground installations, built in a two-kilometer-broad stretch along the coast, only a portion has been destroyed. The entire woodland has been cut down. The so-called naval gunnery school, which has been occupied by Polish naval guards, is intact. Russian sailors are to replace the Poles in the occupation of this installation. The former caserne buildings have been demolished.
3. In Swinemuende there are still some 2800 Germans who must quit the area with all their possessions.

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\* Comment: Presumably the beach along the Swine River rather than along the Baltic Sea.

25X1A\*\* Comment: By this may be meant the waterworks at Korswandt (N54/L21), just a few kilometers from Ahlbeck. See           , which apparently contradicts this report in some of the details.

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